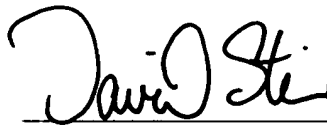


REMARKS

The above amendments are made to delete multiple dependency claim language. New claims have been added to better define applicant's invention. The claims are believed to be in condition for examination, and such action is earnestly requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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